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NOW OPEN: The **Historic Core Visitors Center** has opened at 209 West 5th Street as the HCBID's new offices and the first visitors center for Downtown Los Angeles. The grand opening celebration included food from **BierBeisl Imbiss**, beverages from **Redline DTLA** and **Smoke & Honey**, and a ribbon cutting with Assemblymember **Miguel Santiago** and Councilmember **Jose Huizar** who remarked on the Visitors Center's importance for Downtown Los Angeles. The reception was attended by community partners such as DLANC, LAPD, local business owners and residents, and photographed by Gary Leonard.

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The Visitors Center features an information desk and printed materials including neighborhood walking guides, shopping guides, and Downtown arts and culture maps. An original light fixture by **Dave Lovejoy** of the **Spring Arts Collective** hangs in the conference room. The Visitors Center will also function as a rotating gallery with work by **Bill Sherwood** via the **GDCA Gallery** currently on display for sale. Tourists, locals, and future residents and business owners have been dropping in to chat, check out the neon sign, and learn about the neighborhood. Stop by Monday - Friday, 9am-5pm, just next to **The Last Bookstore**.

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Cento Pasta Bar serves gourmet pastas at bargain prices inside Mignon, Tuesday - Friday, 11am - 3pm.

// 128 E 6th St

Find stocked shelves at **Courage and Craft** carrying bartender selected small-batch liquors, bitters, cordials, mixers, wine, and beer.

// Grand Central Market

Rich Honey has high end casual fashion that is designed, manufactured, and sold in DTLA.

// 210 W 8th St

Shopwalk DTLA is back February 7th with pop-ups, performances, discounts, and **Super Bowl happy hours** throughout the Historic Core. It's a fun, community-driven day that supports local small businesses in the heart of Downtown Los Angeles. With Shopwalk hubs now at **Grand Central Market**, the **Regent**, the **Historic Downtown Farmers Market**, and **Spring Arcade Building**, Shopwalk brings thousands of shoppers to neighborhood to spend the day Downtown and explore the Historic Core. **Get involved.**

THANK YOU to our 65,000+ new friends who explored, photographed, and danced your way through the Historic Core this weekend for Councilmember **Jose Huizar's Night on Broadway** street festival. Crowds thronged through Broadway from 3rd to Olympic for live music, interactive art, family activities, and diverse performances in 7 of our historic theaters. After the event officially closed, thousands took the party to our local bars and restaurants closing down businesses as they sold out of virtually everything in stock. We're excited to see more and more Angelenos celebrating their history, rediscovering the heart of LA, and taking ownership over Downtown's future. Photo by Michael Frey.

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Dying to get down and dirty with local politics? Register to vote in upcoming elections for your Downtown Los Angeles Neighborhood Council Board Members. For the first time, you can **now register and vote online.**

Chef Bruce Kalman's pasta paradise **Knead** has opened at Grand Central Market.

// 317 S Broadway

+ Downtown ArtWalk
Thu Feb 11 / 12pm-9pm
Historic Core-wide

+ HCBID Board Meeting
TBA

+ Shopwalk DTLA
Sun Feb 7 / 11-7pm
Historic Core-wide

Keep in the know of art, culture, civic events and more with our local **DTLA Events Calendar.**

January 2016 Report

- 6937 trash bags collected
- 159551 lbs of trash
- 532 graffiti tags cleaned
- 2071 bulk items removed
- 85 hours of pressure washing and power steaming.

Learn more about our service provider and community partner Chrysalis at

On February 12, **Design Observer** will host a symposium on the relationship between design and food at the Los Angeles Theater Center featuring speakers from across the United States and Europe. [Click here for more info and tickets.](#)

This month, the HCBID participated in the **Greater Los Angeles Homeless Count** to help local service organizations be able to plan and identify resources to provide vital services and help transition homeless families and individuals into housing. Several of our Security Officers counted homeless individuals around Downtown alongside our Social Outreach Coordinator Bob Newman.

What does your vision for Broadway look like? Share your dreams and join in a community conversation about the future and revitalization of Broadway. [Click here for details.](#)

Thank you for sharing in our community!

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REMINDER! The Historic Core's very own farmers market happens every Sunday from 9am-2pm on 5th Street between Broadway and Spring.

Visit [our website](#) for more information!

[Rock n Roll Flea Market Historic Core Downtown LA](#)

Take a walk through the Historic Core and find the Los Angeles Theatre and Spring Arcade's KRKD radio tower at Broadway & 6th Street.

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